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SUBJECT: PHARMACEUTICALS: INDUSTRY REACTION TO EXEMPTION LIST
DELETIONS

REF: ISLAMABAD 5670

1. BURROWS, MANAGER OF WYETH LABORATORIES LAHORE, TELLS US THAT ONLY 5 WYETH PRODUCTS ARE AMONG 97 DRUGS GOP HAS JUST DELETED FROM EXEMPTION LIST (REFTEL). TO BEGIN MANUFACTURE OF THESE 5 ITEMS UNDER GENERIC NAMES, WYETH HERE HAS ASKED ITS HEAD OFFICE FOR INSTRUCTIONS AND IS STILL AWAITING RESPONSE WHICH BURROWS BELIEVES WILL BE AFFIRMATIVE. BURROWS SAID WYETH WOULD NOT RPT NOT CONTINUE TO MANUFACTURE THESE 5 DRUGS UNDER PRODUCT NAMES FOR EXPORT ONLY.

2. WE HAVE ALSO CHECKED WITH TWO MAJOR PAKISTANI PHARMACEUTICAL LABORATORIES HERE. BOTH REPORTED THAT THEY HAD NO RPT NO PRODUCTS AMONG THE LIST OF 97 INCLUDED IN GOP ANNOUNCEMENT.

3. COMMENT: OUR GENERAL IMPRESSION CONTINUES TO BE THAT
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LOCAL DRUG MANUFACTURERS, SOMEWHAT TO THEIR OWN SURPRISE,

ARE EXPERIENCING LITTLE HARDSHIP FROM PROVISIONS OF
GENERIC NAMES ACT.
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